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Ms. Marlene H. Dortch Secretary Federal Communications Commission 445 12th Street, S.W. Washington, D.C. 20554

Re:

Notice of Ex Parte Presentation

GN Docket No. 00-185 CS Docket No. 02-52

Dear Ms. Dortch:

On May 1, 2003, Marc Apfelbaum, Executive Vice President and General Counsel, Time Warner Cable Inc. ("TWC"), and Steven Teplitz, Vice President and Associate General Counsel, AOL Time Warner Inc., met with Barbara Esbin, Peggy Greene, Priscilla Lee, John Kiefer, Alison Greenwald, John Norton, Mary Beth Murphy. Kyle Dixon and Eric Bash of the Commission's Media Bureau to discuss matters relating to the above-referenced proceeding.

TWC gave a status report on its implementation of providing a choice of multiple ISP services to its customers. TWC noted that it now offers affiliated as well as unaffiliated ISPs in all of its operating divisions.

TWC also responded to questions about "network neutrality." TWC expressed its view that there are no actual problems with cable modem customers accessing any lawful content they wish to on the Internet, and that it would, therefore, be unnecessary and unwise to impose burdensome regulatory regimes in this area.

TWC also discussed the issue of regulatory parity regarding cable modem and DSL service. TWC explained that competition from DSL providers is vigorous and that there is no evidence that DSL providers need regulatory relief to spur their deployment of such services. TWC also noted that DSL providers had voluntarily adopted a common

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carrier business model, obtained benefits from doing so, and that there was reliance on those actions by ISPs.

Please direct any questions regarding this ex parte notice to the undersigned.

Sincerely,

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